



Larchfield Primary & Nursery School



Friday 23rd May

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'Be the family you want'

Dear Parents and Carer givers,

**Our theme for this week was 'Doing the right thing'
Our diversity music was Folk!**

Year 6 have been on their residential adventure this week and had a fab time! A massive thank you to Mrs Cole, Mrs Edwards and Mrs Harrison who gave up their own family time to be with the children. Organising events and trips takes a real team effort and so it is also thank you to all our admin team for their hard work too.

It was great to see all the children working together and getting along well. A good last residential for Year 6 and Mrs Cole before she leaves at the end of the year. You can find all the Paccar photos on their class page.

<https://www.larchfieldschool.co.uk/trips-and-events-8/>



I would like to let you know that Mrs Sharma will be moving on to a new school at the end of the year. I'm sure you will wish her well in her next role.

I am very pleased to also let you know that we have appointed 2 wonderful new members of staff to start in September; Mr O'Brien as Deputy Headteacher and Mrs Everett as Year 1 teacher. I know you will give them a warm school family welcome when you see them.

Can you help?

We need a hard case suitcase for keeping our dressing up costumes in for the playground. We also need dressing up costumes!

It would be great if you have any children's costumes aged 5+, we are hoping to be able to provide the children with a range of play time activities and dressing up costumes and a hard case suitcase would be great. It doesn't have to be pretty or new, just so long as it closes and it is waterproof. Please let myself or the school office know if you can help.





All is now confirmed for the whole school end of year trip. We will be off to The Look Out in Bracknell this year, where we will have sole use of the centre for the day. The cost for the trip is again very little as we have been supported by our PTFA and Louis Baylis Charity. This cost of the trip is **only £6 per child**, once again we hope you agree that it is



a very reasonable amount that everyone can pay. Scopay is now open, where you can pay a small amount weekly if it helps.



We have had a number of children coming to school in bracelets, necklaces and sparkley earrings and nails. Please be mindful of our inclusive school uniform policy. Wearing jewellery can often lead to fall outs, loses and general distraction from learning.



During the holidays, our children have that bit more free time than they do in school and so can I ask that you help us to remind and teach to children about on-line safety. We also use the NSLCC PANTS rule when we teach the children, and so this would be good if you could also remind them of this too.

We return to school on Tuesday 3rd, and look forward to more government testing for Y1 phonics and Y4 multiplication check. So if you could keep the children's brains in tip top condition over the half term it would be appreciated.

Please remember the home learning grid is our family learning for the term. It is a great opportunity for the children to gain more knowledge and skills around their themes for the term. They also gain extra house points for the House. A few pics from the last couple of weeks.



Have a great weekend.

Mrs Kearney
Headteacher



We don't tend to promote businesses, and we know nothing about the dentist, but I know getting an NHS one can be tricky. They asked us to highlight that they were taking new NHS patients.

****Please remember all questions to teachers or home learning communications should be sent to asktheteacher@larchfieldschool.co.uk. Absences and other enquiries go to the school office email larchfield@larchfieldschool.co.uk All new entries are in green**

Date	Event
26 th May	Half term (1 week)
2 nd June	INSET Day
W/C 2 nd June	Start of Y4 Multiplication Check
12/13 th June	Year 5 Camp
W/C 9 th June	Phonics Screening Check
12 th June – 9.00	Year 2 Sharing assembly
13 th June – 2.15	Fathers' Day Scavenger Hunt – YR/1
18 th June	Drowning prevention – Braywick – Y5/6
19 th June	School Games Day (26 th reserve date)
20 th June	Mufti day – donations for Summer Fair please
5 th July	Summer Fair 11-2.30 TBC
8 th July – 6.00	Y5/6 production
Thursday 10/11 July	Y5/6 Bikability
10 th July	YR class visit to Windsor Castle – Scopay now open
10 th July – 4.00	2025 Reception children Teddy Bear Picnic
12 th July – 9.00 – 4.00	Housing Association Fair for Larchfield residents
15 th July	Bags2School
15 th July	Y6 Road Safety
16 th July – 9.30	iRock concert
17 th July – 6.00	Meet the Teacher evening
18 th July	End of year reports
21 st July	Year 6 Leavers' afternoon tea TBC
Monday 21 st July – 6.00	Y6 Awards night
22 nd July	Whole school trip – Scopay now open for payments
23 rd July – 1.30	End of term